water supplied by the MCD to the Vasant Vihar CPWD Complex, New Delhi in Feb., 1988 was 34,000 gallons per day. The average quantity of 62,000 gallons per day, mentioned in reply to Unstarred Question No. 500 on the 26th Feb., 1988, was in respect of the supply received from the MCD during January, 1988. Therefore, there is no discrepancy.

(c) Does not arise in view of the reply to (a) and (b) above.

(d) The MCD have sanctioned an additional water line to this area from the JNU side. Contract for laying this line has since been awarded.

Reduction in Water Supply to Vasant Vihar CPWD Complex

3217. SHRI SOHAN LAL DHUSIYA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that MCD had agreed to supply four lakh gallons water per day in the initial stage to Vasant Vihar CPWD Complex, New Delhi which has been reduced to the tune of one lakh gallons per day recently; if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(b) what are the dates on which the MCD supplied less than 10,000 gallons of water to that area and what are the dates on which no water was supplied, during February, 1988; and

(c) what action Governmtnt propose to take in the matter and for increasing the water supply?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) The MCD had agreed to supply only two lakh gallons of water per day which commitment still stands.

(b) During February, 1988, the MCD supplied less than 10,000 gallons of water, to the area on the 7th, 23rd, 26th, 27th and 28th February, 1988, while it did not supply any water on the 8th, 9th and 24th Feb., 1988.

(c) An additional water connection has been sanctiontd by the MCD from the JNU side to increase the supply of water. The contract for laying the supply lines has also since been awarded.

Proposal for taking the Shyamnagore Christian Hospital under the ESI Scheme

3218. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Medical Commissioner, ESI Corporation, New Delhi, has received a proposal dated the 20th February, 1988 from the Labour Department, Government of West Bengal, for taking the Shyamnagore Christian Hospital under the ESI Scheme;

(b) if so, what are the salient features of the proposal; and

(c) what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) The ESI Corporation is reported to have received a proposal in this regard on 10-3-1988;

(b) The proposal is for starting a 50-bedded T.B. Hospital under the ESI Scheme on the existing premises of Shyamnagore Christian Hospital, which the State Government has proposed to make available free of cost;

(c) The proposal is under consideration of the ESI Corporation.

State-owned Dairies and Dairy Farms

3219. SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the loactions of the State-onward dairies|dairy-farms; when each one was established and at what cost;

(b) the total profit|loss made by each one; as yet and also the annual production of various items in each case; and

(c) what are the plans to start more such units alongwith their possible locations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) to (c) The information is being collected from the State Governments. The same will be placed on the Table of the House as soon as received.

Unemployment in Rural Areas

3220. SHRI SUBAS MOHANTY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the estimated number of unemployed persons in rural areas of the country particularly in Orissa;

(b) the number of persons working full time and part time in a year in rural areas; and

(c) whether Government have any crash programme under consideration for providing them with employment?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) and (b) Estimated number of persons (of age 5 plus) employed|unemployed in rural areas is available in National Sample Survey Report No. 341 on the third quinquennial survey 'Employment and Unemployment', 38th round (January—December, 1983). As per this report, the estimated number (of age 5 plus) employed|unemployed at current weekly status as on 1-7-83 for the rural areas in the country and in Orissa are as under:

(in lakhs)

	Employed		Unemployed	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
All India	1427.28	603.97	55.13	26.90
Orissa	65.68	23.41	2.45	1.47

The data of persons working full time and part time is not available.

(c) Government is implementing regular plan schemes like National Rural Employment Programme (NREP), Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme (RLEGP) and Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) for attacking frontally the unemployment in rural areas.

Crimes against SC/ST in Rajasthan

3221. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total incidents of crimes committed against Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes during the last three years in the State of Rajasthan; district-wise; and

(b) the steps taken by Government to check such crimes?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRIMATI SUMATI ORAON): (a) The total incidents of crimes committed against Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in Raj-